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S. RES. 213

To authorize testimony, document production, and representation of employees in the Senate in Bonnie Mendelson v. Delaware River and Bay Authority.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 1, 1999

Mr. Lott (for himself and Mr. Daschle) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

To authorize testimony, document production, and representation of employees in the Senate in Bonnie Mendelson v. Delaware River and Bay Authority.

Whereas, in the case of Bonnie Mendelson v. Delaware River and Bay Authority, Civil Action No. 98–90–GSL, pending in the U.S. District Court for the District of Delaware, testimony has been requested from David P. Hauck and Julie B. Cardillo, employees of the Congressional Special Services Office, and Bonnie Powell, a former employee of the Congressional Special Services Office;

Whereas, pursuant to sections 703(a) and 704(a)(2) of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978, 2 U.S.C. §§ 288b(a) and 288c(a)(2), the Senate may direct its counsel to represent employees of the Senate with respect to any sub-

poena, order, or request for testimony relating to their official responsibilities;

Whereas, by the privileges of the Senate of the United States and rule XI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, no evidence under the control or in the possession of the Senate may, by the administrative or judicial process, be taken from such control or possession but by permission of the Senate; and

Whereas, when it appears that evidence under the control or in the possession of the Senate may promote the administration of justice, the Senate will take such action as will promote the ends of justice consistently with the privileges of the Senate: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That David P. Hauck, Julie B. Cardillo,
- 2 Bonnie Powell, and any other current or former employee
- 3 of the Senate from whom testimony or document produc-
- 4 tion may be required, are authorized to testify and
- 5 produce documents in the case of Bonnie Mendelson v.
- 6 Delaware River and Bay Authority, except concerning
- 7 matters for which a privilege should be asserted.
- 8 Sec. 2. The Senate Legal Counsel is authorized to
- 9 represent David P. Hauck, Julie B. Cardillo, Bonnie Pow-
- 10 ell, and any other current or former employee of the Sen-
- 11 ate in connection with the testimony and document pro-
- 12 duction authorized in section 1.

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